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NEW YORK, MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1900.

# FORCED BACK BUERS

# GRAND JURY TO BRITISH AGAIN REPULSED; SPARE NO ONE

No Matter How High the Officials Affected, Judge Foster Says, Inquiry Should Be Most Thorough and Merciless-No One to Be Spared.

General Sessions, this morning delivered a very strong charge to the April Grand Jury in which he declared hat in its investigation of vice and corruption the jury should invoke the

terest, not only by District-Attorney Gardiner and his assistants, but by a vast number of citizens who had been

"It is difficult." Judge Foster said, "to define the limit to which you, the Grand Jury, may carry your inquiry.

"It has been rumored that corbigh and of low degree, and that entered into referring thereto, and the ruption exists among officials of to you the correspondence that has been tig. If so these are crimes, and it to your duty to inquire into them. And the Court stands ready to give on the fullest ald in so doing. Whenever you have knowledge or coon to believe that a crime has been committed, it is within your power, and it is, as I have said, perflous. your duty to inquire into it.

"TO THAT END YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO CALL UPON THE EX-TIRE CIVIL POWER, AND EVEN IF NEED BE THE MILITARY AUTHOR-ITY OF THE STATE MAY BE IN-YOKED TO AID AND ASSIST YOU.

#### MERCILESS INQUIRY.

"You may subpoena whomsoever can aid you in your investigation, and you George R. Hamilton, insurance have the power to enforce observance Broadway. to your subpoenas. You may subject those whose attendance is thus enforced i to the most rigid, merciless and searchthat a crime has been committed, or if any one has or even claims to have him to divulge that knowledge and act upon it. The law deems that command of such importance as to devote an en-

#### DISTRICT-ATTORNEY'S PART. "Now, what is legal evidence? It is, I

take it, competent evidence, and what so or is not competent evidence is a stion that often proves difficult both | Twentieth street. to lawyers and courts. "Fuffice it to say that if you have Sculty in determining whether cer-

a'n evidence is or is not legal, you will, am sure, find that the learned and cous assistants will always be ready. ble and willing to advise you at all street.

The Grand Jury for the March term, James W. Clark, merchant, is Leonard am informed, began an investigation street. Rillroad Company, to accertain whether any criminal breaches of trust had been cormitted by those charged with the kota. luis of managing its affairs and reources, but were unable to complete held investigation, and have accordingly fit it to your consideration.

The Court will cause to be submitted



ou to give it such attention and consideration as you may find it to de

He cautioned the jury to secrecy 'Aithough." he added, "the Court is fully convinced that such is the standing and character of our Grand Jury panel that an admonition may be su

#### THE GRAND JURY.

Thomas M. McCarthy, a grocer, of 58 Hudson street, was chosen foreman of the new Grand Jury. The other members are

Bennet J. King. furs, 127 Greene street. William A. Hulburt, President, 228 John G. Mendels, broker. 90 Greenwich

street.

Chester D. Munroe, banker, 29 Iwenty-eighth street.

Henry Johnson, printer, 100 Fulto William L. Skidmore, coal, 49 West Fifty-second street.

Whilam Hauchnause, clothing, Ed N. Taylor, real estate, 99 Franklin.

Sidney W. Hopkins, President, 54 New Charles E. Hammond, dry goods, 224 Church street.

C. Stacy Clark, real estate, 28 East George Rudd, retired, 720 East One Hundred and Fortieth street. Cleveland H. Dodge, metals, 29 John

Albert Blumenthal, cloaks, 59 West Ninetieth street. Ed L. Oppenheim, banker, 30 Broad

fourth street.

Ryan Rushed Through Smoke and Flames.

Two firemen were severely injured and whole family narrowly escaped death as the result of a fire in the flat-house third street early this morning.

Mrs. Michael Ryan her married daugher and her son were rescued from the third-floor windows by three men who teen-year-old boy, who rushed through

#### \$16,000 IN GEMS GONE.

Bondoir of Mrs. Smith, of

suburb of this c'ty, and suspicien rests revelucions. Ketchum named as co-re ing only from hysteria. upon Edward Brannin, Mr. Smith's spondent in his suft for divorce from achman, who is missing.

stolen property belonged to Mrs. instructor on Beaford avenue,
Brandin, who had been given "I saw Mrs. Ketchum in Mr. Fleet's notice of his dismissal, was ordered to back parlor, said Miss hawkins. "It light a fire in the sitting-room, which was on the afternoon of Dec. 26, 1891, Two hours later Mrs. Smith discov-

ored that bot jewel case had been broken open and her pocketbook rogged of its contents. One necklace is valued at \$8.00. In addition to this the thing senered two gold wateres and other jewely, and over \$20 to cash.

# A BATTLE NEAR MAFEKING.

FIFTH RACE AT BENNINGS.

BOY STOLE A RIDE AND WAS KILLED.

#### A SMALL RIOT AT BATTERY PARK.

Constantine Veochos, a Greek florist, of 187215 Lexington avenue fined \$5 by Magistrate Flammer.

#### YOUNG WOMAN KILLED HERSELF IN PROSPECT PARK

ternoon by drinking carbolic acid to Prospect Park, Brooklys. She was were regular and everything about her belokened good breeding. The only clu to her identity was a wedding ring having the inscription "J. S.

#### PAID BIG DUTY ON A "RUBENS.

The New York agent of Sedelmeyer the Parisignt dealer, owner of the

#### WREATH RUM-SOAKED.

an Witness in Brookly a

### EILY COGHLAN NOT INSAND

Trented in Bellevae Hospital

his wife Emma, Ernest Fleet, a bicycle Coghlan, appeared at the hospital later

# FIERCE STRUGGLE TO RECOVER GUNS.

French Steamer Reports Passing Half-Sunk Steamer.

PARIS. April 2.- Capt. Fouche, of th arrived at Afficante from Philadelphia. reports having passed March 18, in lati tude 37 degrees north and longitude 5 wreck of a steamer, and March 20 L Lion passed, in latitude 38 degrees north and longitude 42 degrees west, a quan itty of floating wreckage, including a

It was thought this wreckage might belong to the wreck of the French steamer Pauillac, long overdue, the planks being part of some flooring pur chased in America for the Paris Expo

atlantic Company, however, does not b lieve Lie Lion passed the wreck of the

He expresses the opinion that the Paulillac, having a quantity of heav machinery on board, would if wrecked not remain near the surface of

The French steamer Paulitac, bound from New York Feb. 5 for Havre, was last spoken by the White Star line steamer Germanic Feb. 11 in lat. 45 north and long. 41 west considerably northeast of the position of the wreck seen by the French steamer Le Lion.

#### MILITARY RULE STILL

Criminal Papers in Frankfort Capitol.

#### WOMAN DEAD IN HOTEL

ound in Red Pully Dressed, and

bed this morning in the Central Hotel, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street

#### NEW YORKERS PRESENTED.

by Cabinet Ministers and Our Legation Attaches.

LONDON, April 2.-The Prince ing at S.P. M. Tuesday for New York | this afternoon. The weather was beautify and vicinity. David New York | the and large crowds witnessed the

LONDON, April 2—4.55 P. M.—The War CF fice has received another despatch from Lord Rel erts, dated from Bloemfontein, Sunday, April 1 8.15 P. M., in which, after referring to his previous telegram, he gives a partial list of the missing Bris

ish officers. Of O Battery four officers were wounded two of whom are missing. One gunner was killed and forty non-commissioned officers and men Perch steamer le Lion, which has wounded or missing. Lord Roberts continues:

"In U Battery all are missing except Major degrees west, a big, half-submerged Taylor and a sergeant-major. The two cavalry regiments did not suffer so much.

"A report has just come in that the enemy h retired toward Ladybrand, leaving twelve wound officers and some seventy men at the waterwork We are now sending an ambulance for them."

Lord Roberts says nothing in regard to the British guns being recaptured.

### AMERICAN LED BOERS WHO CAPTURED GUNS

BUSHMAN'S KOP, Free State, Sun-, them dangerously wounded, is den in the spruit when the British guns All of them are doing well, were captured yesterday were com- Every one agrees that but for

troops not a member of the force was manded by Reichman, a German-Amer. Broadwood's splendid han they discovered the British scouts leaving two Dutch military attaches, one of works and the line of hills

#### FRANKFORT, Ky., April 2.—The mil-THE SEVEN LOST GUNS

the seven guns taken from Col. Broad- supply of the Free State capital

but it fails to compensate for the severe are commanded by Gen, De Wet. S shock experienced from the defeat so The scene of the British diagree close to the British headquarters.

inforcements sent out by Lord

pears to be Mealic Spruit, A big engagement in the neighborhood Bloemfontein road crosses a

## HOW BRITISH LOST **GUNS IN BOER TRAI**

numbered 3% including 200 missing. The total British force under Col. Ninth Division of Martyr's

Broadwood was over 2.000 men, while fantry will march at daylight Lord Roberts estimates the Boer forces support him, and that if be on at from 8,000 to 10,000. At last reports necessary he should retire of the Ninth Division and Gen. French water-works, ife moved the with two cavalry brigades had reached the n'sis and bivousched. the scene and was engaging the Boers. day he was shelled by the

dead wife's coffice has feel booker ogget and her pocketbook rogget and taking a flask of whiskey from his contents. One necklace is valued and taking a flask of whiskey from his pocket broke I' with an oath over the wroath.

In addition to this the thick searced with an oath over the wroath.

There's the stuff that killed her had seen of the stuff that killed her had seen and the stuff that killed her housed over \$2.6 in cash.

Many a man to-day at the "top of the ladder" secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the morning house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing house, as 'ndicated by the ladder' secured his first footing his received the following record knows the links afternoon. The weather was beau titl and large crowds witnessed the following despatch from Lord Roberts, and his sterne and man ladder such that sterne and many vicinity: Partly cloudy to 'arrivals, which included Lord Salisbury. The War Office has received the following record to brisk titul and large crowds witnessed the five links afternoon. The weather was beau.

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